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Subject:

Serial No. 10/043,864 01/10/02

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A METHOD AND APPARATUS TO ESTIMATE
BURN-IN TIME BY MEASUREMENT OF
SCRIBE-LINE DEVICES, WITH STACKING
DEVICES, AND WITH COMMON PADS

Grp. Art Unit: 2858

ASSOCIATE POWER OF ATTORNEY

I hereby appoint Billy Knowles, registration number 42,752, as my associate attorney in this case. His telephone number is (845) 331-3866.

Please continue to direct all correspondence in this case to the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stephen B. Ackerman".

Stephen B. Ackerman,

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